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In re Application of:

SEIICHI KASHIWABA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/236,339

Filed: January 25, 1999

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HOLDING MECHANISM,
IMAGE-SHAKE
CORRECTING DEVICE AND
OPTICAL APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 27, 2002, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments and remarks be entered and considered in the above-identified application.